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Claims 1-22 are currently pending in this application. Claim 5 has been amended in response to the Examiner's objection. No new matter has been added to the application.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claim by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned **"Version with markings to show changes made."**

Claim Objection

The Examiner has objected to claim 5 because it includes a parenthetical. Applicants have amended claim 5 to remove the parenthetical and request that the objection to the claim be withdrawn.

Double Patenting Rejection

The Examiner has rejected claims 1022 under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-33 of U.S. Patent No. 6,049,602. Applicants include herewith a terminal disclaimer in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.321 (c) to overcome the double patenting rejection. Applicants request that the rejection be withdrawn.

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the claims are in condition for allowance and reconsideration is requested. If the Examiner believes that any issues remain unresolved, a telephone call to the undersigned would be welcome.

Respectfully,
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In the Claims:

Amend claim 5.

5. (Amended) The method of claim 3 wherein the communication control commands include transferring capabilities. [(can list all call control features)]

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